REMARKS

This amendment is being filed prior to payment of the issue fee. Entry of the foregoing amendment is respectfully requested. The amendment is required to correct typographical errors found in the examiner's amendment. The amendment does not change the scope of the claims. Accordingly, entry of the amendment is requested.

Claims 4 and 12 were amended to add punctuation, and claims 8, 16, 18, and 19 were amended to replace the Latin letters "a," "e," and "g" with the Greek letters " α ," " ϵ ," and " γ ," respectively, which did not properly appear in the examiner's amendment.

This amendment adds, changes and/or deletes claims in this application. A detailed listing of all claims that are, or were, in the application, irrespective of whether the claim(s) remain under examination in the application, is presented, with an appropriate defined status identifier.

CONCLUSION

It is believed that no fees are due in connection with this Rule 312 amendment. In the event this is not correct, the undersigned authorizes the Commissioner to charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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